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Please find enclosed herewith the following documents relating to the above-identified case:

Priority of German application 101 38 319.3 is claimed

Small Entity status is claimed

1. Specification including 13 pages with 17 claims, 1 drawings
2. Declaration and Power of Attorney to follow
3. Assignment and Recordation Form Cover Sheet to follow
4. A return postcard for acknowledgement of receipt
5. Certified copies of basic German applications 101 38 319.3 -to follow
6. Translation of prel. Internat. Examination report

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Enclosed herewith are the following documents:
Application documents for a utility patent entitled:

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specification (13 pages spec. with 17 claim, 1 drawing(s))
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